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LOCAL REJOICINGS.

Thursday was the first of the third Chinese
month, and on that day throughout the
province of Kwangtung public gambling was
prohibited. The one remarkable thing
about this movement is the almost universal
desire that the thing should be done. In
Canton these rejoicings took the shape of a
public demonstration through the streets,
as is done when the gods are to be worshipped
and blessings invoked. Very elaborate
descriptions are given of what took place
and we read of bands of music parading the
streets.

In Hongkong several of the more important
houses showed their delight at what
was being done in Canton by calling in
musicians and on several of the verandahs
there was much noise, which delighted the
people in the streets. Any one passing
through the streets that day must have been
struck with the number of Chinese to be
met with everywhere and the general dis-
play of the dragon flag, and though many of
the jollies probably knew little of what
was going on all joined together in making
a holiday.

The editors of at least two Chinese
papers embraced the occasion to take a
holiday. In all this we see the natural
love of the Chinese for show and noise.
But there are many thoughtful minds who
are by no means so enthusiastic as the
crowd, because, after all, they know they
are but at the commencement of the work
of reform and very cautious people are un-
willing to say what may be seen in
three years' time. Of course this noisy
demonstration may arise from the belief of
the Cantonese that a very great evil has
been removed, and therefore they are will-
ing to rejoice at the beginning of better
days, as those who have suffered from a
long drought are full of gladness when they
see the sky covered with clouds and are
impatient till the rains actually descend.
All well-wishers of China, however,
sincerely hope that these good beginnings
will be followed by solid results and that
the new power of the people will be able
to assert itself, and so make it virtually
impossible for any future official to re-
establish the old regime.

The Department of Justice in Wash-
ington has been investigating the alleged
anthracite combine and is now prepared
to begin prosecutions. It is said that
criminal cases will be filed against several
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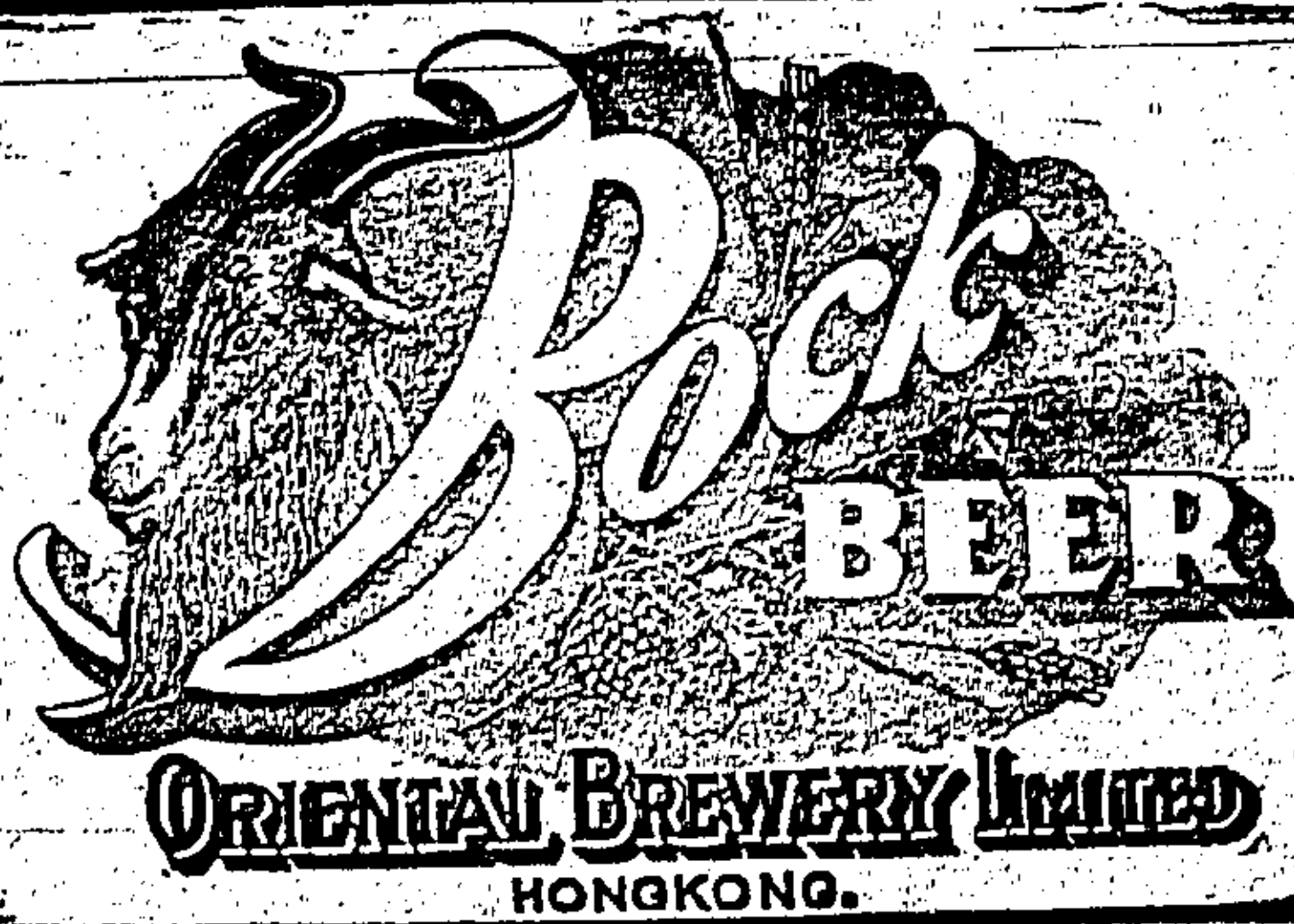
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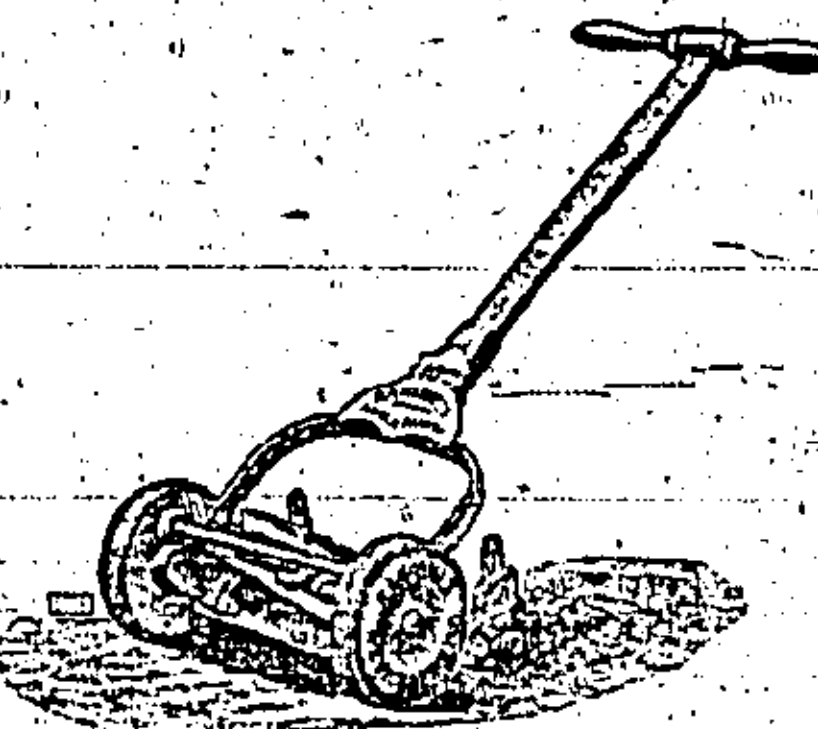
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PROGRAMME

- PART 1.
1. Unfinished Symphony.....Schubert.
Band of H.M.S. "Minotaur."
 2. Aria....."Bel Raggio".....Rossini.
(from "Semiramide").....Mlle Eva Gauthier.
With Orchestra.
 3. Piano Concerto in A flat.
(Op. 63).....Chopin.
Mr. Dennis Fuller.
 4. Songs: (a) "The Dove" London Round.
(b) "Love has eyes".....R. Bishop.
(c) "Bolero".....Dassauer.
(d) Mlle Eva Gauthier.

PART 2.

1. Danes from the Suite to "Henry VIII."
Band of H.M.S. "Minotaur."
2. Song....."Should he upraid".....Sir H.
R. Bishop.
Mlle Eva Gauthier.
3. Piano Concerto in G minor.....Mendelssohn.
"Molto Allegro con fuoco".....Mendelssohn.
Mr. Dennis Fuller.
With Orchestra.
4. Aria....."Modi Modi" (from "Lucia di
Lamermoor").....Donizetti.
With Orchestra of H.M.S. "Minotaur."

GOD SAVE THE KING.
PLANS AT ROBINSON'S.
Hongkong, March 30, 1911.

KOWLOON BOWLING GREEN CLUB.

AN EXTRAORDINARY MEETING
of Members of the KOWLOON
BOWLING GREEN CLUB will be held
at the Club House on MONDAY the 3rd
April, 1911, at 5.45 p.m., to discuss the
advantages of erecting an improved Club House.
For the Committee,
D. GOW,
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Hongkong, March 28, 1911.

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N. J. STABBS,
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NOTICE.

THE Undersigned hereby to inform the
Public that the business of LUEN
YIK Firm, Building Contractor, No. 61,
Des Voeux Road Central, is heretofore
carrying on between Mr. LAM DORE
and Mr. LAM WOO, and on the 4th day of 3rd
Month of Hsien Tung, willingly transferred
my share to the latter for \$500 besides my
capital was clearly counted and returned.
After this date the interest and responsibility
of the said firm for all debts and
liabilities incurred by the said firm, and
all debts on all unfinished works. If there
may be any interest laid aside on the above
mentioned works after all debts were paid
off by him a dividend will be made accord-
ing to many shares as before.

(Signed) LAM DORE,
No. 4, Gresson Street,
Hongkong, March 20, 1911.

NOTICE.

I, the Undersigned, formerly carrying on
business as Building Contractor in the
LUEN YIK Firm, have this day
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Some Technical Data.

During the course of the discussion at the
Institution of Shipbuilders and Engineers
on Wednesday night, Mr. Lyle gave some
interesting technical information relative
to the working of the modern gas plant at
Quarry Bay. He said:—One of the main
points touched on by Mr. Murphy was that
an apparatus or device might be devised
where at a glance one could see if his gas
plant was producing the quality and
quantity of gas required, and whether
it was being mixed with the proper
proportion of air, before entering the
cylinder of the gas engine. Such a
device is now in the market and is called
the "Gibson Pressure Indicator," manu-
factured by Messrs. Kendall and Son,
Norfolk Ironworks, London. At present I
am unable to explain the mechanism or
fundamental principles on which the
apparatus works, though I assume its
action is based on chemical analyses, but
from current literature I note it is in
operation and working successfully in
many plants at home, remedying the
principal disadvantages that Mr. Murphy
referred to.

Another point that Mr. Murphy touched
on was the "Mond" Gas Producer and its
remarkable economy for large powers, but
no results were inserted in the paper. But
before giving figures, when working full
load the economy exceeds that of any plant
I know of, and the economy derived from
such plants will, in a very great measure,
tend to the ultimate success of the internal
combustion engines for marine propulsion,
which the President, referred to at the
annual dinner. But the steam engine will
never become extinct—nothing ever does
entirely disappear. Even now, in the
days of electric light and incandescent gas
mantles, the humble tallow dip is still an
article of commerce, and the cost of the barrow
and "smoke" runs alongside the motor car
and electric tramway.

Of course, it is natural that all of us
here, who have had experience of the good
work done by the steam engine, will look
with suspicion upon plant and gas engines
for large cargo steamers, so ably advocated
by papers read before Engineering In-
stitutions at home. The entry of this
mode of propulsion is, I think, inevitable,
and it is not fair to anticipate difficulties
before they arise, but the strongest force
of all is the shipowner, who in this age of
competition is compelled to look for a
cheaper prime mover; but industrial
changes are naturally slow.

Returning to the economy of the "Mond"
producer running at full load, we get 1 lb.
of coal per B.H.P. per hour (not I.H.P.),
a result which perhaps may seem surprising
and for economy bears out the assumption
made by Mr. Murphy at the beginning of
his paper. For the best combustion at the
gas engines allow a volume of 1.2 of air to
1 of this gas, slightly differing with
different kinds of fuel gasified.

The choosing of a suitable coal, as you
are aware, forms the primary consideration
of gas producers. In the gas producer Mr.
Murphy described, it may not be out of
place here to touch more fully on the
question of a suitable coal. The points to
be considered in choosing a suitable coal
would be—percentage of water carried by
the fuel, amount and kind of ash, tar
forming ingredients of this fuel, and whether
it takes badly or not; the latter a big
consideration. A high percentage of water
has a direct effect in lowering temperature
of the producer, besides lowering the
value of the gas. A large amount of ash
makes more frequent cleaning out neces-
sary, or is likely to result in a partial
stoppage of the air supply. The size of
fuel should be a happy medium—small
fuel clogs up easily, and requires a
higher blast pressure; large fuel offers
too little surface for gasification. The
volume of gas furnished from one ton
of fuel fed into the "Mond" producer
varies from 140,000 to 160,000 cubic feet,
according to the quality of the slack or
coal, and is sufficient to develop 2000
I.H.P. when utilized in a gas engine.

Employed on a gas plant and power
house for some time, with your con-
currence, I take the liberty of conveying to
you some of my impressions. A "Mond"
gas plant such as that at Quarry Bay con-
sists simply of three parts—producer,
the condensing and the cleaning plant. The
fuel is broken up, and mechanically
handled by elevators and deposited in
hoppers above the producers. The pro-
ducers consist of a cylindrical chamber lined
with firebrick, through which passes air
saturated with steam, the temperature of

this air blast being regulated from 70° to
80° C. depending on the kind of coal used.
I might say that all readings about the
plant are on the French system. Unlike
other gas producers, the quantity of steam
introduced into this blast, passing
upwards through the burning coal, is
relatively very large and amounts
to 2½ tons for every ton of fuel gasified.
This large quantity of steam keeps down
the working temperature of the producer
within such limits as to prevent the forma-
tion of clinkers; a ton of steam is de-
composed in the producer for every ton of
fuel burned, yielding free hydrogen to the
extent of 29 per cent. by volume of the
final gas. Truly say that steam is supplied
by a separate boiler, while the air blast is
derived from a Root's blower. The hot gas
derived from the producer in the way I
have explained, passes into what is known
as a washer, which is simply a large box
shaped like a condenser and here the gas
is met by a water spray thrown up by
revolving dashers which have blades skim-
ming up the surface of the water contained
in this washer. The contact with the water
causes the gas to be cooled down. The gas
then passes upwards through a cooling tower
filled with tiles to present a large surface,
where it meets a downward flow of water,
thus further cooling and cleaning the gas;
from thence to a centrifugal fan further
extracting the tar, through the purifiers
to finally extract the tarry matter still left
in the gas, and away to the engines.

From the "Mond" plant, the recovery
of ammonia is a consideration, but for a
gasification capacity of less than 30 tons of
coal in 24 hours it is not usual to install a
recovery plant on account of the additional
cost. At large shipbuilding works on the
Clyde, the recovery of ammonia amounts to
one ton for every 29 tons of fuel gasified.
The analysis of the gas can be found in
any text book so there is no need for me
troubling you with same. The calorific
value of the gas is about 150 B.T.U. per
cubic foot as against 600 of coal gas.

Leaks in the system are dangerous and
an oxygen tube is usually kept at hand in
case of being required. A rubber cap fits
over the patient's mouth and the pure
oxygen is drawn in while breathing. On
only one occasion have I seen it used and
that due to the native's carelessness.

With your concurrence I propose to give
you a few facts and figures relating to the
"Cockrell" engine and its economy, when
the explosive mixture is supplied by
"Mond" gas producers. There before me
data relating to consumption of coal and
cost of B.H.P. of 3 different prime
movers—actual cases—of a turbine plant,
a steam plant, and a "Mond" producer
plant. The two latter are installed in
works in the East; the first I take from a
table compiled by E. J. Wilder.

Type of Engine.	Kind of fuel.	Fuel con- sumption per B.H.P. per hr.	Cost in cents per B.H.P. per hr.
Triple ex- pansion steam engine surface con- densing.	Bitum- inous.	2.22 lb. per B.H.P.	99 cents.
Steam turbine.	do	3 lb. per B.H.P.	90 cents.
Producer. Cockrell.	Anthra- citic.	1 lb. per B.H.P.	50 cents.

No better illustration can be given to
the man who has to foot the bill than the
above figures from actual practice, and I
should like to draw your attention to an
article in the last shipping supplement of
the Glasgow Herald of December 30th,
1910, page 29, where the author of the
article cites the case of a gas producer
running for six months on end non-stop,
without any special attention.

On going down the stairs after the meet-
ing at which Mr. Murphy read his paper, I
overheard a gentleman remark: "What are
the requirements of a gas engineer that are
not met by the qualifications of a steam
engineer?" or words to that effect. I
propose to try to answer the question. It re-
quires the same skill, the same ability to
reason things out, the same care and
good judgment to run a gas engine as
it requires to run a steam engine of the
same power and with the same pro-
portional economy. The purely me-
chanical features of the gas engine resemble
those of the single acting steam engine so
closely that, as far as construction is con-
cerned, the steam engineer, if I may
say so, has but little to learn. Gas
engine valves and valve gear, are cer-
tainly more complicated, but an inspection
is usually sufficient to enable one to
understand the operation and uses of
the various parts. When it comes to
operating conditions, there are things to be
learned since the motive fluid is different
and is used in a different manner. But

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF
HONGKONG:

ORIGINAL JURISDICTION.

In the Matter of the Companies Ordin-
ances of Hongkong 1855 to 1886

In the Matter of the HONGKONG &
MANILA YUEN SEUNG EX-
CHANGE & TRADING Co., Ltd.

A First Dividend of \$10 per cent. has been
declared in the above Liquidation.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the
above mentioned Dividend of \$10
per cent. may be received at the above
named Company's Office No. 63, Connaught
Road West, Victoria, Hongkong, on FRI-
DAY, the 31st day of March, 1911, or on
any subsequent date between the hours of
10 A.M. and 4 P.M. except on Saturday, up
to 1 P.M.

Creditors applying for payment must
produce any Bills of Exchange, Promissory
Notes or other securities held by them and
must sign a receipt in the prescribed form.
Dated, Hongkong, the 31st day of March,
1911.

LAU CHU PAK,
Official Liquidator.

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PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions from the Hon. Mr. Justice, to sell by Public Auction, on

MONDAY,

the 3rd April, 1911, at 11 A.M., at their Sales Rooms, No. 8, Des Vaux Road, Corner of Ice House Street.

A QUANTITY OF VICTUALLING STORES, Consisting of:—

Tinned Beef, Mutton, Sausages, Tripe, Tongues, Soups, Herbs, &c., &c.; Salt Beef and Pork in Casks, Ship's Biscuit, Pickles, Curry Powder, Jams and Marmalade, &c., &c.

TERMS:—As usual.

HUGHES & HOUGH, Auctioneers, Hongkong, March 30, 1911. 455

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions from the Hon. Mr. Justice, to sell by Public Auction, on

WEDNESDAY,

the 5th April, 1911, at 2.30 P.M., at their Sales Rooms, No. 8, Des Vaux Road, corner of Ice House Street.

A QUANTITY OF VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, Consisting of:—

Silk Tapestry-covered Drawing Room Suite, Green velvet, with Bedstead, Blackwood Glass, Oakwood Sideboard and Dinner Wagon, Extension Dining Table and Chairs, Marble-top Washstand and Bureau with Bevelled Glass, Double Bedstead, Wardrobe, Bookcase, a quantity of Crockery, Electro-plate and Glass Ware, Carpets, Cooking Stoves, &c., &c.

A few pieces of Good Canton Blackwood Ware, One Small English Billiard Table, One Large American Safe, One Piano by Robinson Piano Co. and One by Apollo, Dresden.

Catalogues will be issued.

TERMS:—As usual.

HUGHES & HOUGH, Auctioneers, Hongkong, March 30, 1911. 454

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions from the Hon. Mr. Justice, to sell by Public Auction, on

SATURDAY,

the 8th April, 1911, at 11 A.M., at the Police Basin, Tsim-tai-tai.

The Launch "MADDOX,"

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TERMS:—As usual.

HUGHES & HOUGH, Government Auctioneers, Hongkong, March 29, 1911. 449

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions from J.F. Boulton, Esq., to sell by Public Auction, on

THURSDAY,

the 27th April, 1911, at 2.30 P.M., at his residence, FORBANK EAST, 144 Magazine Gap.

THE WHOLE OF THE VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, Therein Contained, Consisting of:—

Hall Furniture and Stand, Upholstered Drawing Room Suite, Curtains, Carpets, Blackwood Ware, Engravings and Pictures, Porcelain, Brass Ware, &c., &c.; Bed Room Furniture, Linen, Blankets, &c.; Dining Room Suite, Plate, Cutlery, Glass Ware, &c., &c.; Kitchen and Pantry Utensils; and

A number of Pots of Palms, Plants, &c.

Also One Lady's Carriage Chair.

On View from the 26th proximo. Catalogues will be issued.

TERMS:—As usual.

HUGHES & HOUGH, Auctioneers, Hongkong, March 10, 1911. 351

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions from Captain Laddell, to sell by Public Auction, on

MONDAY,

the 10th April, 1911, at 2.30 P.M., at No. 3, Lochiel Terrace, CAMERON ROAD, HONGKONG.

THE WHOLE OF THE VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, Therein Contained, Including Electric Chandeliers, &c.;

A Number of Assorted Plants, &c., in Pots, one Lady's Bicycle;

And A Number of Carpets.

Catalogues will be issued.

On view from 8th April.

TERMS:—As usual.

HUGHES & HOUGH, Auctioneers, Hongkong, March 31, 1911. 466

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions from the Hon. Mr. Justice, to sell by Public Auction, on

WEDNESDAY,

the 12th April, 1911, at 2.30 P.M., at BELVEDERE, Plantation Road, The Peak.

THE WHOLE OF THE VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, Therein Contained, Consisting of:—

Teak and Blackwood Hall Furniture, Drawing Room Suite, Curtains, Pictures, Blackwood Ware, a few pieces of Porcelain, &c., &c.; Dining Room, Suite, Plate, Cutlery, Glassware, &c.; Bed Room Furniture, Blankets, Linen, &c., &c.; Pantry and Kitchen Utensils including a number of Brass Table Lamps;

Also A unique Collection of Old Chinese Weapons, One Blackwood Cottage Piano in good condition; and

A large number of Assorted Plants, Ferns, &c., in Pots.

Catalogues will be issued.

On view from 11th April.

TERMS:—As usual.

HUGHES & HOUGH, Auctioneers, Hongkong, March 31, 1911. 458

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PUBLIC AUCTIONS.

THE Undersigned has received instructions from the Hon. Mr. Justice, to sell by Public Auction, on

TUESDAY,

the 4th April, 1911, commencing at 2.30 P.M., at his Sales Rooms, DUNDRELL STREET.

A QUANTITY OF VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, Consisting of:—

Silk Tapestry-covered Drawing Room Suite, Teak Ormamentals, Hatstands with Bevelled Mirrors, Chiffoniers, Lace Curtains, &c., &c.

Extension Dining Table, Marble-top Sideboard, Dinner Wagon, Writing Tables, Dinner Services, Carpets, &c., &c.

Brass and Brass-mounted Bedsteads, Wardrobes with Felted Mirrors, Dressing Tables, Marble-top Washstands, Chest-of-Drawers, &c., &c.

Also A few Pieces Canton Blackwood Ware, and

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Two Motor-bicycles, with accessories, in good condition.

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Hong-kong, June 11, 1910. 748

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Kowloon (The Dairy Farm Co. & the
nices) for 8 months, from 15th April, 1911.
For particulars apply to
THE DAIRY FARM CO., LTD.
Hongkong, March 31, 1911. 404

TO LET.
COMFORTABLE APARTMENTS for
gentlemen (furnished or unfurnished), in
well-appointed semi-detached residences at
Kowloon. Good locality. Tennis Court.
Electric Light.
Write
"NEMO"
Care of "China Mail" Office,
Hongkong, March 25, 1911. 413

TO LET.
GODOWN No. 4a, DUDDELL
STREET.
Apply to
THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST-
MENT & AGENCY CO., Ltd.
Hongkong, April 1, 1911. 709

TO LET.
GODOWN No. 4, NEW PRAYA,
Kennedy Town.
Apply to
THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST-
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Hongkong, April 1, 1911. 1052

TO LET.
ONE ROOM in Top Floor of PRINCE'S
BUILDING.
Apply to
S. J. DAVID & CO.
Hongkong, March 31, 1911. 312

TO LET.
GODOWNS, 95 & 96, PRAYA EAST.
Apply
CHATER & MODY.
Hongkong, December 6, 1910. 1474

TO LET.
FOUR and Five-Roomed HOUSES,
Kowloon.
Now and Commodious SHOPS, NATHAN
ROAD, Kowloon, immediate possession,
cheap rent.
Apply to
HUMPHREYS' ESTATE & FINANCE
CO., Ltd.
Hongkong, March 23, 1911. 408

TO BE LET.
NO. 34, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL
(Shop) opposite the Post Office.
No. 2A, D'ARVILLE STREET, suitable
for a shop.
All of which are at present occupied by
Vienna Cafe & Co., Ltd.
For particulars, etc., apply to
YEE SANG FAT,
Same Address.
Hongkong, February 23, 1911. 263

TO LET.
RAVENSHILL, No. 3, PARK
ROAD, containing six large
rooms, gardens, ample servants' quarters
and back yards.
Apply to
DEACON, LOOKER & DEACON.
Hongkong, March 22, 1911. 408

TO LET.
LARGE HOUSE, known as 'Dethick',
No. 63, Robinson Road; electric
light and gas laid on; large tennis court,
vegetable and stable; with full
bath and shower.
Apply to
LI PO LUNG,
c/o Li Brothers, Alexandra Buildings.
Hongkong, February 11, 1911. 206

TO LET—FURNISHED.
FOR SIX MONTHS FROM 1st MAY.
BUDLEIGH, No. 5, MACDONNELL
ROAD.
Apply to
M. S. NORTHGOTE.
Hongkong, February 9, 1911. 195

FOR SALE OR TO LET.
KENNIS, 76, THE PEAK: Seven
Rooms; Large Verandah; American
heating apparatus installed, making the
house dry and comfortable throughout the
year; Vegetable and Flower Gardens;
Crocus Lawn; 10 minutes walk from tram
station; by electric. One of the best
situations at the Peak, cool in summer
warm in winter.
Apply to
HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT &
AGENCY CO., Ltd.
Hongkong, April 1, 1911. 108

TO LET.
NO. 11, PRAYA GRANDE, MACAO.
No. 21, BELLIOS TERRACE.
No. 21, 23, SHELLEY STREET.
No. 11, BEACONSFIELD ARCADE
(Shop).
BEACONSFIELD from 1st June, 1911.
The BYRLE, No. 13, PEAK, newly
furnished and comfortable.
FOR SALE, TWO CREST, at Peak,
commanding magnificent view of the Har-
bour and adjacent islands.
Apply to
LINDSEY & DAVIS,
3rd Floor, Alexandra Buildings.
Hongkong, April 12, 1911. 16

TO LET.
GODOWNS, 151 to 155, PRAYA EAST.
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THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST-
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Hongkong, April 1, 1911. 23

TO LET.
EUROPEAN FLATS, Moderate
rent. Praya East—Corner of Ober-
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Manager,
No. 2, PRINCE STREET,
HONGKONG.
Hongkong, January 8, 1909. 816

NOTICE.
MR. LI HON FAN, a Chinese graduate
in Literature, has been a teacher
to European officials and merchants in this
Colony for over ten years.
He has a good method of training Euro-
peans to pass in the Chinese examination, and
is possessed of a first rate certificate as a
Chinese teacher. He has also a good know-
ledge of Mandarin.
Those who intend learning the Chinese
language are requested to write care of
China Mail office, or direct to 37, Holly-
wood Road, 1st floor.
Hongkong, December 24, 1910. 1553

THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA,
LIMITED.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an
EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL
MEETING of the National Bank of China,
Limited, will be held at St. George's
Building, Chater Road, Victoria, Hong-
kong, on SATURDAY, the Twenty-fourth
day of June, 1911, at 12.30 o'clock p.m.,
for the purpose of considering and, if
thought fit, passing an Extraordinary Reso-
lution, the following Resolutions, that is to say:
(1) That the Company be wound-up
voluntarily, and that Arthur Rylands
Lowe, Chartered Accountant, of
Street, London, E.C.4, and St. George's
Building, Hongkong, be and he is
hereby appointed Liquidator for the
purpose of such winding-up.
(2) That the Liquidator be authorised
to pay out of the funds of the Com-
pany a sum not exceeding \$100,000
as compensation to members of the
Company's staff.
Should the above Resolutions be passed
by the requisite majority, they will be
submitted for confirmation as Special Reso-
lutions at a Second Extraordinary General
Meeting which will be subsequently convened.
Dated Fifteenth day of March, 1911.
By Order of the Board,
J. SCOTT HARTSON,
Chairman.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the
THIRTY-EIGHTH ORDINARY
YEARLY MEETING of the Society will
be held at its Head Office, No. 2, Queen's
Building, Hongkong, on WEDNESDAY,
the 22nd April, 1911, at 10 o'clock a.m.,
for the purpose of receiving the Report of the
Directors together with the Statement of
Accounts to 31st December, 1910, and of
declaring Dividends, &c.
The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Society
will be CLOSED from 18th April
to the 22nd April, both days inclusive.
By Order of the Board,
O. MONTAGUE EDE,
Secretary.
Hongkong, March 22, 1911. 411

CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE CO.,
LIMITED.
NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the
FORTY-FIFTH ORDINARY
YEARLY MEETING of the Company will
be held at its Head Office, No. 2,
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By Order of the Board,
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Hongkong, March 22, 1911. 410

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Hongkong, April 12, 1910. 406

SINGON & CO.
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and Retail Ironmongers, Pig Iron and
Foundry Coke Importers. General Store-
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22, First Lane, Victoria, (Old Street) West
of Central Market) Telephone No. 515.
Hongkong, September 4, 1909. 4124

KIDNAPPED CHILDREN
RELEASED.
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ful case of eight children being kidnapped, and
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restores unimpaired appetite. Again, its use
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an
EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL
MEETING of the Hongkong & Shanghai
Banking Corporation, Limited, will be held
at the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Cor-
poration, Limited, on MONDAY, the third day
of APRIL, 1911, at 11.30 o'clock in the forenoon,
when the following Resolutions will be
proposed:

(1) That Article No. 80 of the Articles
of Association of the Company, which now
reads—
"As remuneration for their services the
General Managers shall retain or be paid out
of the funds of the Company a salary at the rate
of Seven thousand Two hundred dollars per
annum; and a commission of five per centum on the
profits of the Company in every year in which the
net profits shall amount to seven per centum of
the capital of the Company"

be amended by eliminating therefrom the
words "of the Company" and inserting in lieu
thereof the words "of the Hongkong & Shanghai
Banking Corporation, Limited"

(2) That Article No. 82 of the Articles
of Association of the Company, which now
reads—
"The Consulting Committee other than the
General Managers shall be paid out of the funds
of the Company by way of remuneration Two
thousand Five hundred dollars for each year that
the net profits amount to seven per centum of the
capital of the Company and such remuneration shall
be divided among them in such proportion
and under such conditions as the Consulting Com-
mittee may determine and in default equally"

be struck out and that in lieu thereof the
following Article be inserted—
"Article No. 82
Each member of the Consulting
Committee not being a member of the General
Managers' firm shall be paid out of the funds of
the Company by way of remuneration Two thou-
sand Five hundred dollars for each year that the
net profits amount to seven per centum of the
capital of the Company and such remuneration shall
be divided among them in such proportion and
under such conditions as the Consulting Com-
mittee may determine and in default equally"

(3) That Article No. 104 of the Articles
of Association of the Company, which now reads—
"All dividends unclaimed for one year after
having been declared may be invested or otherwise
made use of by the General Managers for the
benefit of the Company and the unclaimed
dividends, and all dividends unclaimed for five
years after having been declared may be forfeited
to the General Managers for the benefit of the
Company. This clause shall not be deemed to
affect the right of any shareholder to receive his
dividend at any time after it has been declared
and shall not be deemed to affect the right of any
shareholder to receive his dividend at any time
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be amended by striking out the words "for the
benefit of the Company" and inserting in lieu
thereof the words "for the benefit of the share-
holders"

(4) That the above Resolutions shall be
subjective to the ratification of the shareholders
at the meeting of the shareholders to be held at the
attention in the articles of Association of the
Company thereby effected shall be deemed to have
been effected and to have come into force as on
the first day of January, 1910.

Should the above Resolutions be passed
by the required majority they will be submitted
for confirmation as Special Resolutions at a
Second Extraordinary Meeting which will be
subsequently convened.

Dated this Twenty-fourth day of March,
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By Order,
JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON,
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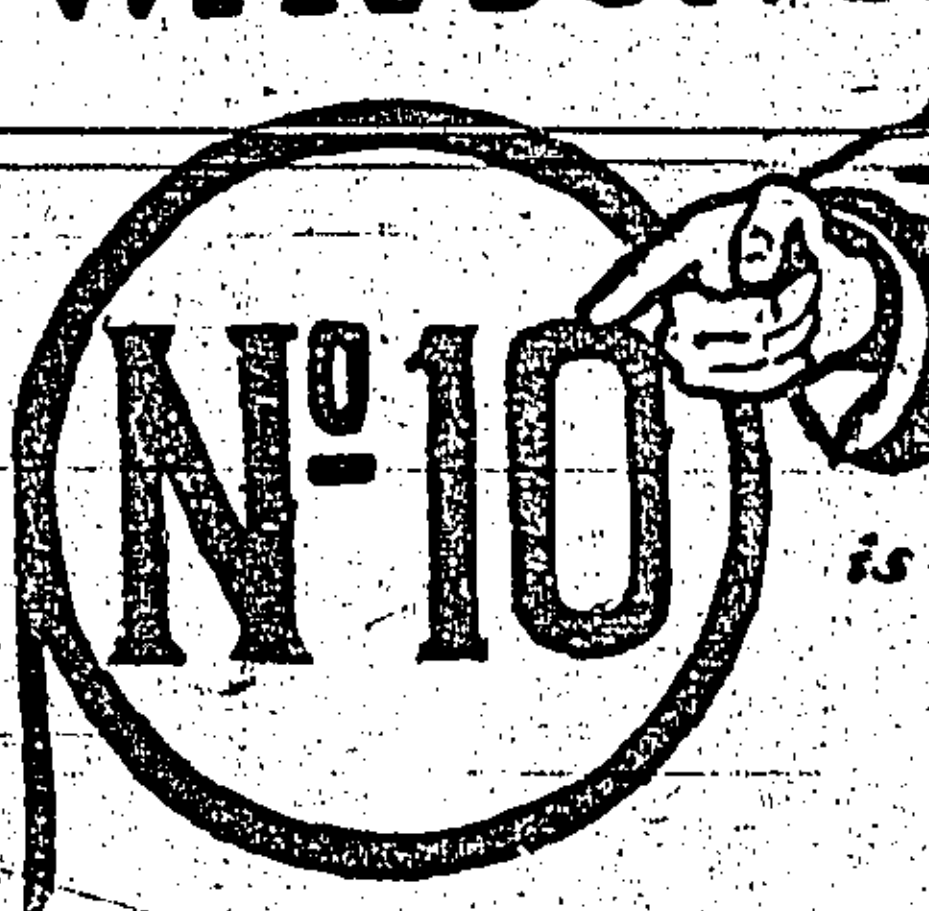
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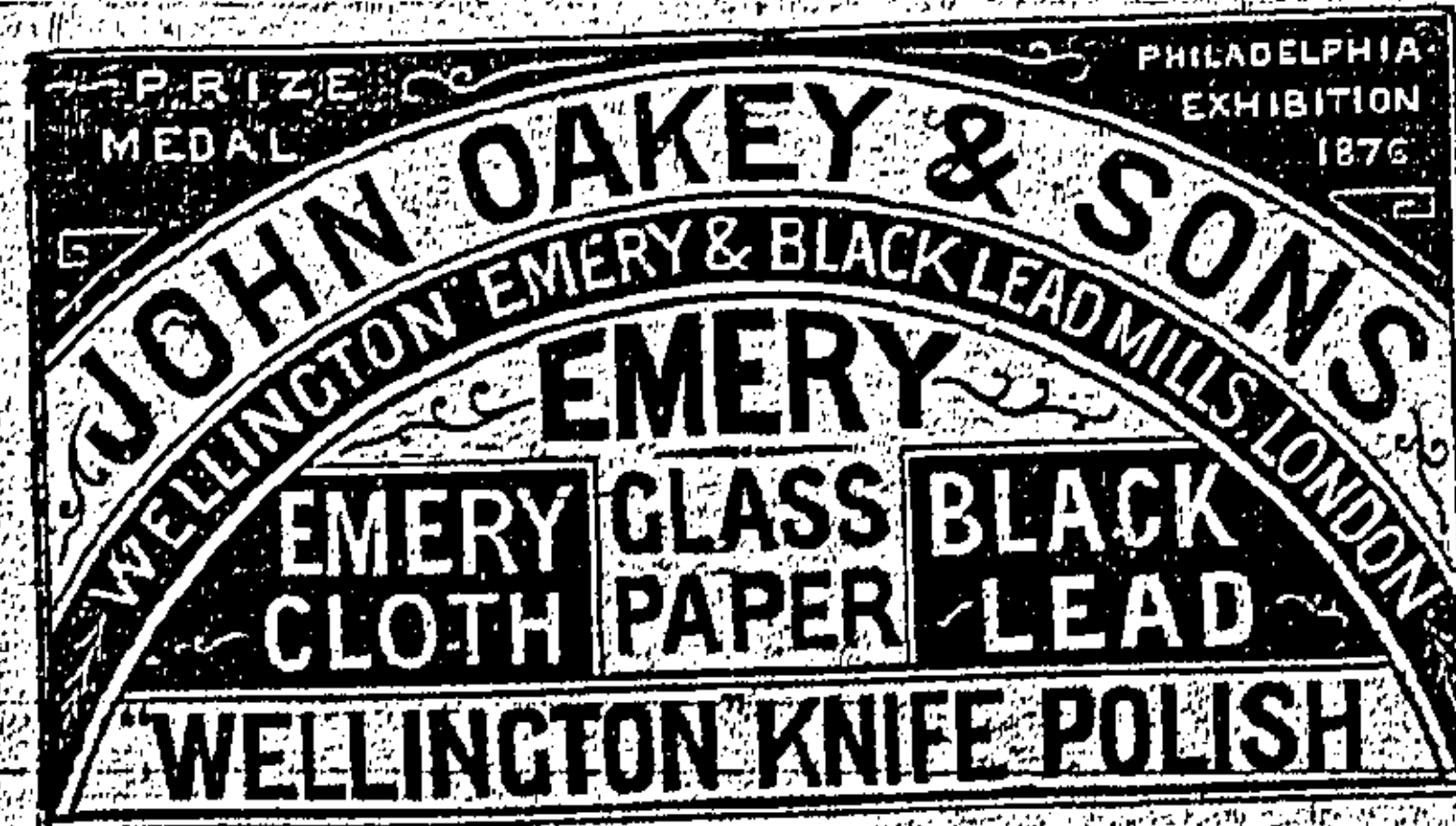
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RESERVE FUND.....\$15,000,000
Sterling.....\$15,000,000
Silver.....\$15,000,000

RESERVE LIABILITY OF.....\$15,000,000
PROFITABLE.....\$15,000,000

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N. J. STABE, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, March 1, 1911.

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THE business of the above Bank is con-

ducted by the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORA-

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plication.

INTEREST on deposits is allowed at

3½ PER CENT. per annum. Depositors

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Chief Manager.

Hongkong, January 24, 1911.

THE MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED.

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL.....£1,500,000

Subscribed do.....£1,125,000

PAID-UP do.....£ 562,500

RESERVE FUND.....£ 325,000

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INTEREST allowed on Current Accounts

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ON FIXED DEPOSITS:—

For 12 months.....4 per cent.

For 6 months.....3½ per cent.

For 3 months.....3 per cent.

E. V. ORMOND, Manager.

Hongkong, March 20, 1911.

INTERNATIONAL BANKING CORPORATION.

CAPITAL, PAID-UP.....Gold \$3,350,000

RESERVE FUND.....Gold \$3,350,000

Gold \$6,500,000

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ALL OVER THE WORLD.

THE Corporation transacts every description

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following rates:—

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GEO. HOGG, Manager.

No. 9, Queen's Road Central.

Hongkong, February 20, 1911.

NEDERLANDSCHE HANDEL

MAATSCHAPPIJ.

(NEDERLANDS TRADING SOCIETY)

ESTABLISHED 1824.

PAID-UP.....£1,450,000 (\$3,750,000)

RESERVE FUND.....£1,450,000 (\$3,750,000)

HEAD OFFICE—AMSTERDAM.

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BRANCHES—Singapore, Penang,

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The Bank buys and sells and receives for

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Daily Deposits 12 months 4½ per annum

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A. P. V. REESE, Agent.

Hongkong, July 24, 1910.

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THE CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA AUSTRALIA AND CHINA.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER 1851.

HEAD OFFICE, LONDON.

PAID-UP CAPITAL.....£1,200,000

RESERVE FUND.....£1,200,000

RESERVE LIABILITY OF PRO-
PRIETORS.....£1,200,000

INTEREST allowed on Current Account

at the rate of 2½ per annum on the Daily

Balance.

On Fixed Deposits for 12 months 4½

per annum " " " " 3½

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WM. DICKSON, Manager.

Hongkong, April 26, 1910.

YOKOHAMA SPECIE

BANK.

ESTABLISHED 1880.

CAPITAL PAID-UP.....Yen 24,000,000

RESERVE FUND.....16,000,000

HEAD OFFICE—YOKOHAMA.

BRANCHES AND AGENCIES:

TOKYO, KOBÉ, NAGASAKI,

YOKOHAMA, SHANGHAI, HANKOW,

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TAKEO TAKAHASHI, Manager.

Hongkong, Sept. 27, 1910.

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DR. CHAS. FONG

DENTIST.

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DR. FAITH LEONG.

Graduate of the College of Physicians

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THE LATE KING OF SIAM.

Royal Cremation Ceremony.

The Bangkok Times in commenting on

the cremation ceremony of the late King of

Siam, which has just been carried out,

says:—

A great State funeral, for the sepulture

or the cremation of a King may not un-

naturally call forth thoughts of the vanity

and exaltation of spirit which one King has

declared to be the summing up of all the

works that are under the sun. The pomp

and magnificence which mark the trapping

and the suite of a King on such an occasion

are the glories of our blood and state.

Acceptance and crown.

Must come down.

And in the dust he again and

With the poor crooked sceptre and spade.

This indeed is the constant theme of

Buddhist sermons in the presence of death.

Always the preacher reminds high and low

alike that each must pay the common debt

of humanity. The irony of the contrast

between the greatness to which man may

attain and the lowliness to which he is

reduced by death, has indeed been expressed

for all time in the familiar words:—

"O eloquent, just and mighty Death!

whom none could advise, thou hast

"perused," what mortal dared, thou hast

"hast done," and whom all the world hath

"dattered, thou only hast cast out of the

"world and despoiled; thou hast drawn

"together all the far-stretched greatness,

"all the pride, cruelty, and ambition of

"man, and covered it all over with these

"two narrow words, 'He lies'."

And yet these are not a mere simile; the

feelings evoked by the spectacle of the

funeral of a King, a fact for which all

the world, Kings included, have reason to be

profoundly thankful. Certainly in the

magnificent pageant of yesterday, the

vast assemblage of mourners were moved

by quite other thoughts. Not only "with

banner and with music, with soldier and

with priest" was the body of the late King

borne to the place where it was reduced to

ashes, but also "with a nation mourning."

The passing of King Phra Chula Chom

Klao affected the whole of his people

with a profound sense of loss, and

that was revived and quickened yester-

day when the mortal remains, to which

so many have done reverence during the

lying in state, were carried to the

solemnity of the final obsequies. King and

commoner alike were moved by feelings of

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IN

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MEMOS FOR MONDAY.

11.30 a.m.—Extraordinary General Meeting of A. S. Watson & Co., Ltd.
5.30 p.m.—Kowloon Bowling Green Club—Extraordinary Meeting.
8 p.m.—Hongkong Chamber of Commerce Jubilee Dinner.

General Memoranda.

Tuesday, April 4—
5.30 p.m.—Organ Recital at St. John's Cathedral.

Wednesday, April 5—
Ladies' Rifle Association Meeting; 1st Day.
2.15 p.m.—Evening Board Meeting.

Thursday, April 6—
Ladies' Rifle Association Meeting, 2nd Day.

Friday, April 7—
Ladies' Rifle Association Meeting, 3rd Day.
9 p.m.—Performance of Bandmann Opera at Theatre Royal.

Saturday, April 8—
Ladies' Rifle Association Meeting, 4th Day.
1 p.m.—V. R. C. Athletic Sports.
7.45 p.m.—Kowloon Cricket Club Dinner.

Sunday, April 9—
Noon—Entertainers close for H.E. V. C. Rifle Meeting.

Friday, April 14—
Good Friday.
9.15 p.m.—Handel's "Messiah" at St. John's Cathedral.

The China Mail.

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, APRIL 1, 1911.

MOTORING.

WITHIN the past few weeks there have been two fatalities caused by the driving of motor cars through the crowded streets of Hongkong, and now that ministerial investigation of both cases has concluded it may be well to turn our attention to one or two aspects of the general question of motoring as it stands in the Colony at the present time. Although the physical character of the island operates somewhat against the extended use of the motor car, there can be no doubt but that the pleasures of this particular form of locomotion are appealing more strongly to the public every day. Moreover, the number of cars in the Colony is steadily growing. For the most part the chauffeurs are Chinese and Filipinos, and we believe we are quite within the bounds of accuracy when we state that absolutely no evidence of competency is required of these men. Anybody, without distinction of aptitude whatever, may seat himself at the wheel of a motor car and pilot—or attempt to do so—the vehicle through the crowds of Chinese who are continually moving about on the public thoroughfares. More than that, it appears that there is no speed limit imposed by statute at all—any pace may be attained. Observation will prove to any one that the custom here is certainly not on the side of moderation in this regard, and this view is supported by the evidence tendered in the recent ministerial hearing to the effect that the car was proceeding at its ordinary pace—"just as fast as the electric tram goes." Now, the question is whether the peculiar circumstances of Hongkong—the small extent of its roadways and the swarming Chinese population in certain of its thoroughfares—do not point the need for legislation of some kind. At Hong

all drivers of motor vehicles are certificated and licensed, while the maximum speed permitted by law is 20 miles an hour, and even this is reduced by one half in certain urban areas.

In calling attention to these matters we do not for one moment suggest that in either of the cases which have come before the Hongkong Magistrate there was reckless driving; had his Worship thought there was, after hearing the evidence of the witnesses, he would never have discharged the drivers, as he did in both instances. Our end will be attained by drawing attention to the fact that the present conditions allow a far greater latitude here than they do even in the quiet countryside of old England. We know only all too well the seemingly inborn proclivity of the Chinaman to walk in one direction and turn his gaze in quite another. And perhaps he will need a good many deathly warnings ere he makes a change for the better in this respect. All the same this does not remove the necessity for regulating motor traffic by Ordinance, and it is to be hoped that the question will be earnestly

taken in hand by the Government, not with any idea of phasing unnecessary hardships and absurd restrictions, but with a view to fully protecting the rights and privileges of all users of roads—pedestrians or otherwise.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

No less than 17,811 emigrants left Hongkong during March. For the three months of this year the total is 29,960.

The Christian Union meeting Monday the 3rd April will be held at St. Stephen's College at 5.30 p.m. Rev. S. W. Payne will conduct the meeting.

Messrs. Clark & Co., Opticians have removed into new premises in York buildings, between Messrs. Moutrie & Co. and Messrs. Kelly & Walsh, Ltd.

We have been advised that the disposal of Mr. Chas. Ridgway's paddles will take place at the V.R.C. on Monday next, 3rd April, at 7 p.m. All interested are invited to be present.

While the corporal of the guard in an assault case at the Magistracy this morning was going up the hill at the entrance of the police station compound he suddenly collapsed and was carried into the charge room in an unconscious condition. Medical aid was summoned but the corporal was alright in a few minutes and was able to leave for his ship.

The Hon. Treasurer of the Alice Memorial and Allied Hospitals begs to acknowledge with thanks the following donations to the funds of the Hospitals:—
R. Timmerheide Esq. \$25
Luen Mong Long Esq. 10
Chindoy and Co. 5
Ullmann and Co. 5

Telegrams from Washington report that the State Department has asked its Consuls to investigate the newspaper reports that four Americans were executed at Chihuahua and four at Agaprieta, on charges of complicity in the Mexican insurrection. It is feared that grave complications will ensue if these reports are verified.

The annual Y. M. C. A. concert in aid of the library will be held on Saturday, 22nd April, in the Association rooms, Alexandra Buildings. His Excellency the Governor has kindly signified his intention of being present. The programme is in the hands of the social committees and all members of the Association are asked to give their support to the committee in their efforts to enlarge the library of the Association.

In a lecture at Falkland Town Hall recently Mr. Will Crooks, M.P., related that he was once at a Court function when King Edward suddenly turned to him and said, "Here is the King of Siam? Have you spoken to him?" "No," Mr. Crooks replied, "I have not been introduced to him." King Edward said, "His knowledge of good and evil about European politics." "Oh, that may be," said Mr. Crooks, "but does he know anything about Siam's politics?" "Heaven knows, I don't," said King Edward, and he said Mr. Crooks "had a good laugh together at the King's little joke." "Many people, in fact," added the speaker, "wanted to know what was the 'cracker' I had told the King. I was unable to mention what was the cause of our laughter until now, when both the King of Siam and King Edward are dead."

CHILDREN LIKE IT.

WHEN a medicine must be given to young children it should be pleasant to take. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is made from just sugar, and the sweet taste in its preparation gives it a flavor similar to maple syrup, making it pleasant to take. It is a superior for colds, croup, and whooping cough. For sale by all Chemists and Storekeepers.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

Today's quotation for Para rubber, as per Messrs. Vernon and Smith is 88.1d.

The English Mail of the 4th March was delivered in London on the 31st March.

Dogs from Bangkok are prohibited from landing in the Colony for a period of six months.

We are requested to state that the next meeting of the Coronation Committee will be held on Wednesday the 12th inst., instead of on Wednesday the 8th inst., as previously arranged.

It is announced in the Gazette that His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to declare that the police stations at King Shan, Au Tan, Sheung Shui, Sha Tau Kok, Tai Po, Shatin, and Tsun Wan will be registry offices for births and deaths.

President Taft has refused clemency to Charles W. Morse—the former Ice King of New York—convicted of fraud in connection with the failure of the Thomas-Morse-Holmes line of banks in New York in 1907 and confined in the Federal Prison at Atlanta. Pardon has also been refused to Bank-Walker Walsh of Chicago confined in the same prison.

President Taft discussing the Mexican situation with United States Senators now in Washington for the opening of the special session of Congress, confided to them that he regarded the situation as alarming and almost certain to involve the United States before it was cleared up. Press dispatches received from Mexico tell of great activity on the part of the insurgents under the command of Francisco Madero. The rebels are now concentrating according to a general plan of campaign for the purpose of forming an effective army.

Telegrams from New York printed by the N.Y. Daily News, state that a fire broke out in a ten-storey building largely occupied by celluloid manufacturers. One hundred and fifty-four persons were killed, nearly all of whom were girls; nearly two hundred were injured, and three hundred escaped. Fifty-three persons were dashed to pieces on the pavements, the nets held by police breaking. Some tried to escape by an electric cable crossing the street, but the cable broke. Others jumped for admission to roofs and were killed. Many took refuge in a window ledge on the ninth floor, and the pressure of others behind caused them to fall by twos and threes.

A recent departure by the War Office indicates a desire to help the sons of men who have served in the ranks. A circular, issued a week or two ago, states that in future a number of sons of soldiers will be employed as War Office messengers. The boys, on enrolment, must be between the ages of 14 and 16, and it is distinctly stated that they will not be retained after they have reached the age of 18. The pay on appointment will be 6s. per week, with an annual rise of 1s. 6d. per week for each full year of service, uniform being provided. The objects of the authorities in freeing the messenger at 18 are twofold: On reaching that age a youth will either enlist in the Service or seek a civil appointment. For this latter purpose he will be better fitted than most lads of his age, for during their employment, as messengers the youths will have to attend evening classes.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Mr. D. Brotherton Barker has been appointed visiting justice of the Po Leung Kok in place of Mr. F. Maitland.

His Excellency has been pleased to appoint Captain G. E. Stewart of the Shanghai Volunteer Corps to be attached to the Hongkong Volunteer Corps.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint Inspector David Gurney to be a sanitary inspector for Sheungwan in place of Inspector Albert Collett.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the resignation of Lieut. J. Johnstone of his commission in the Scouts Company of the Hongkong Volunteer Corps.

The death has taken place, after seven years' illness, at his residence, 20, Carlyle Mansions, Chyne-walk, of Vice-Admiral Harry Woodall Brent, aged seventy-six. We may recall that in the Retribution he took part in the China War. The late admiral was born in August, 1834, and early in 1845 entered the Navy as cadet. His first ship being H.M.S. Caledonia (line of battleship), then a sailing vessel, but which was afterwards converted into a steamship, and later rechristened the Dreadnought, was wrecked off Greenwich as receiving ship of the Naval Hospital there. During his career he saw much service in all parts of the world. In October, 1903, Admiral Brent was stricken down with paralysis, and never recovered the use of his left side, but was able to read and talk, and bore his illness with wonderful patience. The deceased was an older brother of Mr. Arthur and Mr. Walter Brent, who have been so long connected with China and Japan. He leaves two daughters, his only son, who is in the Navy, having died as a midshipman some years ago.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Sergeant Moore, of the Hongkong Police, and Mr. F. Last, Land Bailiff at Tai Po, left to-day by the a.s. Devenish for a vacation in England.

Leave of absence to the neighbouring countries has been granted to Lieut. E.R.M. Kirkpatrick, 1st Battalion K.O.Y.L.I. from the 1st to the 17th April.

Leave of absence on private affairs, to the United Kingdom, has been granted to Lieut. C. P. G. Cameron, R.G.A., from 12th April to 30th September.

We are authorized to state that His Excellency the Governor's appointment to the Coronation Committee has only just been completed and the full list will be published on Monday.

There was the usual large attendance at Government House on Friday afternoon when Lady Lugard was "at home." Music was supplied by the orchestra of H. M. S. Minotaur.

Mr. M. Wignall, a native of Stowbridge, Norfolk, England, who arrived in Japan in 1870, has just died at Kobe. For many years he was a chief engineer in the service of the Mitsui Bishi Company.

Detective Sergeant S. W. W. Bell, of the Hongkong Police, who left to-day by the a.s. Arratoon Apar for Singapore, having been appointed inspector in the F.V.S., was presented with a gold chain and pendant, suitably inscribed, by his colleagues on Friday. The presentation was made by Chief Detective Inspector Hanson, who expressed the best wishes of the force for his future welfare and prosperity.

NOTES FROM MACAO.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

The Procession of the Holy Cross which it was at first feared the new regime would not allow to be held without the church gates took the usual route this year with a larger attendance though with less pomp than formerly, the guard of honour being absent.

As a memento of the mutiny of 31st January 1891, which is viewed in republican circles as a harbinger of the great upheaval of 8th October last, general amnesty has been decreed in favour of all the "Army" Officers and the rank and file who incurred delinquencies prior to 4th November, 1910.

A Police private named Roque committed suicide the other day by shooting himself under the jaw. He was only 22 years old and was popular among his comrades. He was very down in the mouth lately owing to pecuniary entanglements.

The sensation of last month the imprisonment of the Postmaster Luiz Remedios, the Chief Postal Assistant Couto and a clerk from the Treasury named Mattos on a charge of embezzlement and forgery. It is alleged that they had been carrying on a systematic series of frauds for the last five years. Current gossip has it that Mattos was arrested in Shanghai on March 27th just as he was on the point of starting for Manila.

The others were arrested by the middle of March. Remedios happened to notice from his window the approach of the police officers and attempted to poison himself, but Dr. Leitao was instantly called in by the Gael Superintendent and saved the man. Subsequently friends made arrangements to bail him out—\$12,000 they were prepared to pay, but \$25,000 they found to be beyond their means.

The examination of the witnesses began on 25th March. Acting Chief Justice Dr. Pessanha is reported to have ordered Couto's release, but the Administrator do Conselho Dr. Leitao had the man confined anew.

Macao rejoices to-day in the presence of a motor car and the owner tells me he expects quite a number of cars soon. The depot which is close by the Church of San Lourenço is now looking quite spick and span after a thorough overhaul and as one strolls down the Rua Central the words "Macao Motor Company" catch the eye from a distance.

A motor-car in Macao at this particular juncture certainly seems a novelty and would show that certain parties entertain the possibility of a revolution for the better. If a change depended on the local authorities such a hope would no doubt be general. However everything hinges on the outcome of the pending elections and the opening of Parliament.

Governor Lieut. Machado has already secured from Lisbon the establishment of a Chamber of Commerce for the Chinese, and the enforcement of the laws relative to petty debts to co-operative companies. The natives in particular highly applaud the tact and happy success of His Excellency for they will now be able to recover small amounts through the medium of a civil magistrate instead of having to disburse, say, \$20 to be repaid a debt of \$15 by recourse to the Supreme Court. His Excellency has appointed a big Commission to elaborate the organization of a special Court to watch native interests.

Current rumour has it that Dr. Manalita is on the eve of concluding his labours in connection with the special mission with which he was entrusted and that he will after all have to leave us for a short trip home as his presence in the Metropolis seems imperative for the purpose of elucidating certain details which have an important bearing on the future of the Colony.

[CORRESPONDENT.]

BRITISH REVENUE

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)
London, April 1.

The revenue of the United Kingdom for the quarter just ended shows an increase of £28,500,040, and a total for the whole year of £203,650,538, an increase of £72,134,132, whereas the income tax returned 43½ millions; customs 2½ millions; excise 9 millions; estate duties 3½ millions; while land values produced half a million.

The increase is mainly due to the dislocation of the revenue in the fiscal year 1900-10.

[Note—Writing a month ago on this subject, when a forecast of the probable outcome of the nation's balance sheet for the year was possible with the figures then to hand, the Standard said:—"At first sight, therefore, it might be supposed from this huge increase of about £38,000,000 that some extraordinary wave of prosperity had passed over the country and that Mr. Lloyd George was about to handle a colossal surplus. As a matter of fact, however, the position is, of course, entirely due to the refusal of the Government a year ago to authorise the gathering of the Income-tax and some other forms of revenue until after the turn of the financial year, with the result that huge arrears have come into the figures for the current twelvemonth. Mr. Lloyd George will evidently have a surplus of over £4,000,000."—Ed. C.M.]

AUSTRALIA AND NAVAL DEFENCE.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

London, April 1.

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LAUNCH OF ANOTHER DREADNOUGHT.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

London, March 31.

The Dreadnought Monarch has been launched at Elswick.

The Monarch has a displacement of 22,680 tons, and a feature of the launch was that her boilers, funnels and other equipment were already in position.

ITEMS AT THE COURTS.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

London, March 31.

A vagabond was sentenced to fourteen days' imprisonment at the Magistracy to-day.

The master of the licensed steam launch Kwong Si appeared before Commander C. W. Beckwith, R.N., at the Marine Court this morning, on a charge of blowing his whistle other than for the purpose of navigation. A fine of \$20 was imposed. His Worship said that local sound signals must be stopped at once.

The Census of Bombay city gives a total of 972,892, a drop of 4,000 since 1906. This is the Municipal census, but the nominal population has actually risen, there being now 30,000 mill-hands absent owing to the closing of the cotton mills, and several thousands more out of the city owing to the high fever. Bombay is still the second city in the Empire.

[CORRESPONDENT.]

JAPAN AND CHINA.

(Independent News Agency's Service to the China Mail.)
Tokyo, April 1.

H.E. Mr. H. Ishino, Japanese Minister to China, with his family, has left Tokyo to resume his post in Peking.

During his recent visit he has expressed his views on Chinese affairs very freely taking advantage of no less than twenty public meetings to express his opinions. His views may be summarized thus: To preserve the peace of the Far East it is necessary that the integrity of China should be preserved, and her administration be reformed. With these objects in view Japan and China should enter on relations of mutual trust so that they can act conjointly in all diplomatic dealings with other Powers.

RUSSIA EXPRESSES SATISFACTION.

(Wah Te Yat Po's Service.)

Peking, March 31.

At a meeting held before the Throne yesterday, Prince Ching and H.E. Wah Teung produced the reply of the Russian Minister, who said that the Russian Government were quite satisfied with China's reply to the ultimatum and the conflict of opinion could now be said to be at an end.

The Prince Regent, who was buried in gloom, made no reply.

H.E. Yin-Chang, Minister for War, said that although the difficulty had been settled yet a defensive military scheme should be at once prepared. There should be no delay in the matter.

At the close of this Council a secret meeting was held at the Prince Regent's Palace, in the course of which Prince Tsai Shun and Prince Tsai To requested H.E. Yin-Chang to wire to all the military commanders to repair at once to Peking for consultation regarding a military defence scheme.

YUNNAN BOUNDARY.

(Wah Te Yat Po's Service.)

Peking, March 31.

The Wai-wu pu have informed Sir John Jordan, the British Minister, that the Viceroy of Yunnan has been appointed a Commissioner to delimit the boundary.

CHINESE COMMISSIONER APPOINTED.

(Wah Te Yat Po's Service.)

Peking, March 31.

The London County Council, which had previously decided to spend £1,750,000 on new schools, has adopted a scheme for the reconstruction of old schools and the building of new ones at an additional cost of £2,000,000. This extra expenditure means a yearly outlay of £210,000. The total capital expenditure amounts to £3,750,000.

KEEP IT AT HAND.

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from the 1st April Next.

Until that date our goods may be obtained at existing rates.

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RAMBLING NOTES

The Coronation Committee's appeal for light and guidance has set men's tongues wagging. Nearly every man I meet nowadays has a suggestion to make, more or less pertinent. These seem to be a general feeling that the Colony ought to do something to permanently mark the day, but what that something should be no one is quite agreed.

The completion of the Post Office by erecting a tower and installing a clock with, say, the Westminster Chimes, is a good scheme, much better than the Statue Pier idea, but can we put up the money for it? That's the rub. These are hard times all round and after all we have to cut our garments according to our cloth.

That is not a bad idea either to make bathing beaches at the East and West ends of the town. These are really badly needed for there is an increasing number in our community to whom membership in bathing parties—such as a unique feature of our Hongkong summer—is out of the question. To these people the provision of bathing facilities at the places mentioned would be really a royal boon.

There are a dozen other schemes of public utility, such as the proper putting in order of that neglected Magazine known as the King's Park, Kowloon, the reconstruction of the City Hall so that the Colony could have a place in possession of these most sadly needed conveniences, a modern theatre and concert room; the provision of an adequate water supply so that our Chinese community can be better served in times of scarcity and several other suggestions of a like nature.

One thing I am glad to see, the committee do not intend to squander any money that may come their way in unnecessary decorations and too ornate illuminations—the ephemeral part of the whole scheme.

The public is getting rather wrathful at the police allowing motor cars to use that very narrow and very much used thoroughfare, Battery Path. More than one person of my acquaintance has had to step suddenly into the gutter to avoid being knocked down, and as they say, if Kennedy road is barred to motor traffic surely Battery Path should be.

In Mr. E. F. Benson's new novel "Account Rendered," there is introduced a splendid character, a young governess named Miss Alenby, whose manner of summing up a child's perversity is simply immense. One of the young imps in her charge, yclept Jack, had been puzzling over the phrase "The sea is His and He made it"—but I will let Mr. Benson tell the story.

So, instead of prancing on ahead to see if he could get his shoes and stockings off before Polly and Miss Alenby got down to the beach after church, Jack had thrust a warm, damp hand into Miss Alenby's, and asked extremely pertinent questions. "Does all the sea belong to God?" "Erry bit," said Miss Alenby. "And doesn't He mind my kicking it about and bashing it?" "No, He likes it, as long as you are good," said Miss Alenby. "How awfully kind of Him!" Jack paused a moment, considering the nature of this hospitality.

"Miss Alenby," he said, "if He likes me to go into the sea and I don't want the crabs there, why shouldn't I stamp on them?" "Because it's a garden party. He has asked them just as much as He has asked you. It's rude to stamp on people at garden parties." "Jack's always rude," remarked Polly, scornfully. "All right. Who tried to drown me? Do shut up! But Miss Alenby, when you swim against a jelly-fish you called it a nasty beast. Wasn't it asked to the garden party same as the crabs?" "Miss Alenby had to think."

"Yes, but I forgot," she said. "It was my mistake, and it was rude of me. But you needn't talk to everybody at garden parties, and we'll none of us talk to the jelly-fish if he comes again. He's an awful swell, Jack, like the Prince of Wales, and you mustn't speak to him unless he says he wishes to be introduced."

"Oh, well, I don't want to be introduced."

Talking of children, I quite agree with Mr. R. C. Lehmann that human nature is very much the same today as it ever was so far as the child is concerned. I find him writing in *Punch*:—"For my part I am convinced that the roaring human boy is at this moment much the same sort of jolly little barbarian as he has always been. Probably he is better cared for and better fed than he used to be, but he still uses catapults, kicks his fingers, spoils his clothes and provides temporary resting-places for the birds in the old traditional fashion. I have not yet come across the fork with which you can drive his mature out of him. Modern schoolmasters may take his temper, but they can't prevent him kicking, tripping, or, in fact, any sort of present that may be offered to him; and it still takes wild boys to tag him to the point of impressing his gratitude for gifts in writing. My dear Aunt, wrote one little fellow, 'Thank a awfully (blat) for the beautiful present it is just what I wanted we have had a jolly Christmas except for the beastly letter writing with love from Herbert.'"

Here are some donations given by London school children to the Census which is to be taken to-morrow in Great Britain.

The census is a paper sent round to every man or woman who owns a house. This year there is going to be a thing which has never happened before, except ten years ago. A man brings a paper round to every house.

The census is the counting of the people on the land. We have to get a number of people together and put them in a census, together with the head of the family.

The census is much the same thing as being taxed, that you read about in the Bible, when Mary and Joseph had to go up to Bethlehem. But they had to get their names put down to please the Romans, but we do it to please our King.

Census means counting, everything in by j's house.

The quick doctor addressing the crowd on an English market day is a Ciceronian in persuasive eloquence, but the bonna hawker is evidently a good-humoured Javanese who pours satire and personalities on outlay, if we are to believe F.O.M. who writes of him in the *Times* Record.

"Now, gentle, now's your chance, this lovely bunch of one, two, four, six, eight, twelve, banana going for one shilling and sixpence; one shilling and sixpence; no good? Right you are, one and sixpence, and one shilling and sixpence; what's your greedy lot of pigs what do you want then? Here you are, a bob! A young fellow to 'ave it! A bob, banana, banana, the young fellow, dozen Canary linnets for ninepence. Well, how me, you're a cough-drop, you are! Well, you're, I've got to get rid of 'em to-night. Here you are, skin a pore bloke if you like a tanner! Who wants 'em? A tanner! Right you are, hilly, gon for a tanner!"

CORRESPONDENCE

GREEN ISLAND CEMENT CO., LTD.

(To the Editor of the "China Mail.")

Sir,—Referring to the Editorial remarks with reference to our letter in your columns of yesterday contained in the issue of the *South China Morning Post* of this morning, we write to say, that, owing to the fact that Mr. Harston will be engaged in an Arbitration during the whole of this morning, we are unable to reply to your issue of today, but we hope to be able to do so in your issue of Monday next.

Yours faithfully,
EWENS & HARSTON.
Hongkong, April 1.

ST. STEPHEN'S COLLEGE.

SPORTS.

The annual athletic meeting in connection with St. Stephen's College was held on the Jockey Club ground, Happy Valley, on Friday afternoon by kind permission of the Stewards of the Jockey Club. The band of the 13th Rajputs was in attendance and gave a number of selections. The meeting, though held in rain and overcast weather, drew a large attendance and the entries were also large.

The officials were—

President.—Rev. the Bishop of Victoria. Judges.—Messrs G. A. Hancock, A. H. Mackenzie, Ng Tin Po, Tso Sze Hwa, Rev. W. H. Hewitt, Rev. S. W. Payne, Rev. A. D. Stewart, H. Cho Chi. Committee.—See Chong Su, Ng Sze Yuen, Chau Tsin Nin, Wei Wing Lok, Ho Nai Chak, Yung Hin Hang, Wong Kam Cheung, Starters.—Rev. C. B. Shann, Tso Shin Fui, Ho Wing Kin, Wei Wing Hon, Transcriber.—G. A. Hancock. Hon. Secretary.—H. L. Manderson. Assistant Secretaries.—Fung Man Sui and Wong Sui Loong.

At the conclusion of the sports Mrs. Hewitt kindly distributed the prizes.

THROWING THE CRICKET BALL.—1st Ho Nai Chak; 2nd Mok Hing Kin.

CHAMPIONSHIP OF THE COLLEGE, 100 YARDS.—1st Ho Nai Chak; 2nd Wong Po Kie.

Time 11½ sec.

SENIOR CUP, 100 YARDS.—1st Wong Kwok King; 2nd Ho Nai Chak; 3rd Ng Hon Tung.

JUNIOR CUP, 100 YARDS.—1st Ng Sze Ho; 2nd Ho Wing Lee; 3rd Leung Po Tsun.

SENIOR CUP, 220 YARDS.—1st Chan Shiu Cheung; 2nd Ng Sze Kwong; 3rd Tong Hon Pan.

HIGH JUMP, JUNIOR.—1st Ho Wing Lee; 2nd Fok Wing Kan; 3rd Chan Cheung Nin.

HIGH JUMP, SENIOR.—1st Ho Nai Chak; Wong Po Kie and Ho Wing Yuen, dead heat for second position.

JUNIOR CUP, 300 YARDS.—1st Leung Po Tsun; 2nd Ng Sze Ho; 3rd Chan Cheung Nin.

SENIOR CUP, 440 YARDS.—1st Chan Shiu Cheung; 2nd Ng Sze Kwong; 3rd Tong Hon Pan.

MATHEMATICAL RACE, OVER.—1st Han On Wa; 2nd Wong Kam Cheung.

LONG JUMP, SENIOR.—1st Ho Nai Chak; 2nd Ho Wing Yuen.

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SPORTING

Cricket.

48th Co. R.E. v. 25th Co. R.E.

The above military League match took place on Friday afternoon at Happy Valley and resulted in a win for the 48th Co. by 44 runs. The scores were—

48th Co. R.E.

Campion, b. Addison ... 3

Davis, b. Hobbs ... 0

Smith, b. Addison, b. Hobbs ... 0

McGregor, b. Collins ... 0

Summers, b. Hobbs ... 0

Dovey, c. Brown, b. Pearson ... 4

Jeremiah, c. Beardsmore, b. Addison ... 4

Morgan, c. Brown, b. Pearson ... 23

Walker, c. Rundle, b. Collins ... 0

Pimlott, not out ... 10

Le Grove, c. Barber, b. Hobbs ... 11

Extras ... 3

Total ... 111

25th Co. R.E.

Spr. Brown, b. Walker ... 7

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Cpl. Pearson, c. Pimlott, b. Walker ... 0

Spr. Sturdy, b. Walker ... 0

Cpl. Beardsmore, b. Walker ... 0

Spr. Hobbs, b. Campion ... 0

Strut, b. Campion ... 0

Barber, b. Campion ... 0

Lieut. Day, c. Smith, b. Campion ... 4

Bag. Rundle, b. Campion ... 0

Capt. Addison, not out ... 0

Extras ... 3

Total ... 67

Hongkong Corinthian Yacht Club.

A race for Handicap, Hoyward Hays and Gael classes, for a Cup kindly presented by Mr. W. C. Kinkel was sailed on Sunday, March 26th over the following course, 7½ miles:—Channel Rocks (S.) East Rock (S.) Channel Rocks (P.) Kowloon Rocks (P.) and home. There was a strong N.E. breeze. The following yachts competed:—

Corinnee, Ayasha, Dawn, Liza, White Rose, Sirius, Ashore, Beatrice, Thecla, and Dorothy. All got away together under full sail. Ayasha, White Rose, Liza and Sirius took the lead, the Ayasha keeping the central fairway, while the others hugged the Hongkong shore. Ayasha rounded Channel Rocks first, closely followed by Sirius, White Rose, and others.

The boats finished as follows:—

Actual Time. Corrected Time.

Ayasha ... 12. 18.14. 12. 18.14.

Sirius ... 12. 33.53. 12. 18.59.3rd.

Thecla ... 12. 35.55. 12. 15.55.1st.

Liza ... 12. 36.18. 12. 19.38.

Ashore ... 12. 37.38. 12. 15.56.2nd.

Beatrice ... 12. 37.59. 12. 17.39.

White Rose ... 12. 35.20. 12. 18.49.

Corinnee, Dawn and Dorothy gave up.

Home Football.

London, March 18.

The following are to-day's football results:—

ENGLISH LEAGUE DIVISION.

Everton 0, Bradford City 0.

Nottingham 1, Manchester United 0.

Bristol City 1, Sunderland 1.

Oldham Athletic 2, Notts Forest 0.

Sheffield Wednesday 0, Woolwich Arsenal 0.

Newcastle United 1, Aston Villa 0.

Manchester City 0, Blackburn Rovers 0.

Middlesbrough 2, Bury 1.

Tottenham Hotspur 2, Sheffield United 1.

Preston North End 2, Liverpool 1.

ENGLISH LEAGUE DIVISION.

Birmingham 2, Chelsea 1.

Bolton Wanderers 0, Glossop 0.

Bradford 1, Derby County 1.

Burnley 5, Stockport County 3.

Fulham 0, Barnsley 2.

Gainsborough Trinity 1, Leeds City 2.

Huddersfield Town 2, Clapton Orient 0.

Hull City 2, Leicester Town 2.

Lincoln City 0, Blackpool 1.

West Bromwich Albion 2, Wolverhampton Wanderers 1.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

New Brighton 2, Crystal Palace 0.

Millwall 1, Bristol Rovers 0.

Queen's Park Rangers 1, Swindon 0.

West Ham United 4, Exeter City 1.

Luton 1, Brighton and Hove Albion 0.

Portsmouth 0, Northampton 0.

Coventry City 2, Brentford 0.

Southern United 1, Leyton 1.

Southampton 2, Watford 2.

Norwich City 3, Plymouth 1.

SCOTTISH LEAGUE.

Glasgow Rangers 4, Queens Park 0.

Motherwell 6, Raith Rovers 1.

Third Lanark 2, Clyde 4.

Falkirk 2, Hibernian 1.

Dundee 3, Greenock Morton 1.

Airdrieonians 1, Aberdeen 3.

St. Mirren 1, Celtic 1.

Hearts 2, Hamilton Academicals 0.

SCOTLAND v. IRELAND.

Scotland defeated Ireland by two goals to nil in the annual Association match at Glasgow on today.

IRELAND v. SCOTLAND.

England and Scotland today played off their annual international Rugby match, the ground at Twickenham was good, and in spite of the drizzling rain, 20,000 spectators were present. Scotland, very early attacking and Sutherland scored a try. England played up in the most determined manner, and a Woodhouse got over to score a splendid try, which England converted. Laurie afterwards scored a second try for England. The Scots made desperate rushes and the play was most exciting, arousing great enthusiasm. Internal score, England 8 points, Scotland 3. England pressed on the assumption that if they scored a try, which England converted. After strenuous efforts by the Scottish team Simpson scored a try which Turner converted. The game throughout was splendidly contested, with the English slightly superior. The Scottish forwards gave fine display. Score: England 13 points, Scotland 3.

COMMERCIAL

FRUIT.

Messrs. Lamke and Rogge, in their circular dated April 1st say:—The change for the better, reported in our last issue, has in most quarters been fully maintained. Actual, chartering business was restricted, owing to scarcity of tonnage, and though the latter part of the fortnight minor review, numerous orders for short employment are left unexecuted, the rates offered by charterers not giving sufficient inducement in the near future. The North reports a decided improvement in Coast freights resulting in the fixtures of vessels both on time and trip charters, and in view of the limited supply of tonnage there, a further advance in rates is expected.

Saigon/Hongkong:—Owing to heavy arrivals from Bangkok meeting with a declining rice market locally, rates have receded to 10 cents with little inquiry for tonnage, but a renewed activity is expected shortly.

Saigon/Philippines:—A couple of fixtures have been put through at good rates, stocks seen plentiful for the time being, and the Saigon/Hongkong market having declined there and lower rates quoted at the time of writing.

Saigon/Singapore:—Norw. s.s. has been chartered on lump sum basis of \$4,500, the rate working out at 18 cents per ton; further tonnage is wanted at reduced rates but was not procurable.

Saigon/Java and Java/Hongkong:—The same remark, as in our last issue, still applies to these trades, compelling the "regular liners" to seek employment in other directions.

Bangkok:—Shippers have somewhat eased off and no further "outside" tonnage was required.

Qatir Trade:—The S. S. Triumph has been settled for a trip home to Mauritius and on time charter basis of \$8,000 per month. S. S. Waishing and Kunchow for a trip Swatow/Saigon on private terms.

Nowhere/Canton:—The port was reported on the 24th instant, and the first of the season's charters in this direction are reported drawn, 30 cents having been obtained for part cargo.

Coal Freight:—Tonnage from Japan to this was very difficult to secure, and charterers had to offer combined business in order to get owners interested for Canton. Fixtures reported as follows:—Wakamatsu/Canton \$3, Hongy/Nagasaki \$2.50, combined Wakamatsu/Canton \$2.75, Moji/Swato \$2.60, Mito/Singapore \$3. Hongy/Hongkong \$1.80/\$2 per ton.

Timecharter:—Norw. S. S. Dagny is taken up for 6 months, the charter of the Longmoon is extended for 3 months, and S. S. Kjeld, Thoride and Standard are reported fixed on time charter up North.

HONGKONG UNIVERSITY.

An Unfortunate Conflict of Opinion.

A critical position has arisen in connection with the University bill which has just been passed by the Legislative Council. The members of the Senate of the College of Medicine, who are all medical men and lecturers at the college, are opposed to the inclusion of the Director of Education on the Statutes. They are practically unanimous on the matter and a meeting is to be held on Monday afternoon to consider the situation. The anticipated outcome of the meeting is feared will be that the whole of the members of the senate may resign in a body and as they comprise the lecturers at the college, the future of the College of Medicine, or as it will be in a year's time, the medical side of the University, is at stake unless a compromise is specially effected, for neither the College of Medicine or the University is in a position to engage paid lecturers.

SUSPECTED OPIUM SMOKING.

It is reported that H. E. the Viceroy of Canton has sent a despatch to the Commissioner of Customs at Kowloon asking whether it is not true that the Chinese do smuggle a good deal of opium from China into Hongkong. This gist of the Commissioner's reply is said to be as follows:—

"Opium preparation in Hongkong is in the hands of a syndicate who pay for the privilege. Whether Chinese smuggle opium into Hongkong or not it is difficult to say, but a very careful watch is always kept to prevent anything of the kind. But the price of opium in Hongkong is high, twice as high as it is in some places in China, and therefore there is every inducement for unscrupulous persons in search of gain to attempt to smuggle opium into the Colony. If such smuggling is done, the source of the activity is in Shanghai, and in launches and in sailing boats it may be brought down the east river."

The Viceroy on receipt of this despatch pointed out the importance of doing everything possible to prevent smuggling, so that foreigners may have no ground of complaint against China on this score. Hence he has sent orders for a more careful diligence to be used to prevent smuggling.

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